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22) [106984] CQC MEETING STILL ON FOR SAT SEPT 15
by "AB0CD" <ab0cd@uswest.net>
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by dmaliniak@penton.com
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by "AI2Q Alex" <ai2q@adelphia.net>
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by "Mugleston, Brad" <brad.mugleston@gwl.com>
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by William R Colbert <w5xe@juno.com>
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by Michael Melland <w9wis@charter.net>
37) [106999] Station on Appalachian Trail in Virginia
by "Carter Craigie, N3AO" <n3ao@bee.net>
38) [107000] Hamfest in Northern VA (Stafford, VA)
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39) [107001] Antenna Fab question
by "Ronald A Pfeiffer" <Ronald_A_Pfeiffer@raytheon.com>
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by "Dan Evans" <n9rla@yahoo.com>
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by BruceAA5B@aol.com
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by "Kanalz, Karl" <Karl.Kanalz@allegiancetelecom.com>
43) [107005] Re: Rigs

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- 44) [107006] RE: Rigs & Emergency Communications
by "Kanalz, Karl" <Karl.Kanalz@allegiancetelecom.com>
- 45) [107007] Re: Cell Phones as QRP beacons
by Bruce Muscolino <w6toy@erols.com>
- 46) [107008] RE: Rigs, Antennas & NVIS
by "Kanalz, Karl" <Karl.Kanalz@allegiancetelecom.com>
- 47) [107009] Re: Antenna Fab question
by Bruce Muscolino <w6toy@erols.com>
- 48) [107010] Re: Antenna Fab question
by Bill Coleman <aa4lr@arrl.net>
- 49) [107011] DK9SQ Mast - Now Flagpole!
by Jack WsuxABC <w6abc@yahoo.com>
- 50) [107012] For Sale
by "Hartwell, Martin E, NLCIO" <mehartwell@att.com>
- 51) [107013] FS: Ten Tec Omni-A
by "NZ8J" <timcook@erinet.com>
- 52) [107014] Re: Article on ladder line losses
by Bill Coleman <aa4lr@arrl.net>
- 53) [107015] Re: Celebrations in Arabic S. Paterson, NJ
by tcltd@widomaker.com
- 54) [107016] Alaska QRP Member numbers are now caught up.
by Jim Larsen AL7FS <AL7FS@pobox.alaska.net>
- 55) [107017] Re: This, from a Canadian newspaper, is worth sharing.
by Ronald Hands <ronald.hands@sympatico.ca>
- 56) [107018] Manuals needed
by K4NK@aol.com
- 57) [107019] Re: W9GFZ Special Event (fwd)
by "Paul Harden, NA5N" <na5n@rt66.com>
- 58) [107020] Re: Celebrations in Arabic S. Paterson, NJ
by "Richard Brummer, K2JQ" <k2jq@bestweb.net>
- 59) [107021] QRP-TTF
by "Steven Weber" <kd1jv@moose.ncia.net>
- 60) [107022] WTB: FL-63A 250 HZ CW fFilter
by "NZ8J" <timcook@erinet.com>
- 61) [107023] Fw: GEL Cells
by "Rod Cerkoney, NØRC" <rod@n0rc.com>
- 62) [107024] Items for sale
by Karl Heimbach <kheimbach@ev1.net>

Date: Thu, 13 Sep 2001 16:04:51 -0700
From: "Casey L. Ray" <clray@usc.edu>
To: k2jq@bestweb.net
Cc: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [106963] Re: Celebrations in Arabic S. Paterson, NJ
Message-ID: <3BA13B93.50EA4D10@usc.edu>

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Just check around! It has happened, see the following link.

Headline from New York Post:
"TRIO WHO CHEERED ATTACK FACE BOOT AS ILLEGAL ALIENS"

<http://www.nypost.com/news/regionalnews/4112.htm>

Casey AD6DI

"Richard Brummer, K2JQ" wrote:

>
> Network news has MANY more important things to cover than garbage like that
> !
>
> Just because YOU didn't see it doesn't mean it didn't happen !
>
> Certain ethnic groups demonstrate in that part of NJ for causes much less
> volatile than the WTC destruction.
>
> Dick K2JQ
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Lee S. Mairs <lairs@cox.rr.com>
> To: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
> Date: Thursday, September 13, 2001 5:18 PM
> Subject: Re: Celebrations in Arabic S. Paterson, NJ
>
> >You know it is amazing. After this "Celebrations in Arabic South Paterson,
> >NJ" thread was started, not one of the news networks has picked up on it.
> >The Washington Post missed it too. Seems a little strange...
> > Who has really seen video of Celebrations in NJ? Lee, KM4YY
> >

Date: Thu, 13 Sep 2001 18:27:15 -0500
From: "Stuart Rohre" <rohre@arlut.utexas.edu>
To: <wb8rcr@arrl.net>
Cc: <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [106964] Emergency Radios
Message-ID: <01ae01c13cab\$9fa37b50\$4e100a0a@rohredt2000>

I find the advocating of kilowatt for emergency HF amusing.

The State of Texas EOC runs 100 watts and communicates over a 500 mile in

state path, (only exceeded by Alaska), with 100 watts and NVIS antennas. We could do it with lower power most of the time, and next time I am down there for a call up, I will try that. We actually find we skip out to OK or even Kansas at that power, so often have out of state stations in our emergency nets.

The use of 40m for daytime and 80m for night is our standard, but with Broadcast on 40m, we need 5 MHz for a dedicated ham band that would be clock around useful.

We have used NVIS antennas and 5 watts for reliable in state communications at a number of Field Days, on SSB, and CW.

Where would one get batteries for a kilowatt station? Even the FEMA equipment is not 1 kW at our EOC. Sure, some of the time it might be useful, but we get the FCC to clear a band of frequencies and we seldom have problems once other stations know it is an emergency frequency declaration.

During Hurricane nets, we regularly communicate to Caribbean without 1 KW, with 50 watts even, and verticals. And that from Central TX.

72,

Stuart k5KVH

Date: Thu, 13 Sep 2001 19:29:40 EDT
From: n5ib@juno.com
To: qrp-1@Lehigh.edu
Subject: [106965] Extreme Fox Hunt de N5IB
Message-ID: <20010913.182046.7559.1.n5ib@juno.com>

I may not make it to the aether tonight. Nothing to do with current events... I have an elderly relative (great aunt - 96 to be exact!) who is needing a bit of extra care these days and I'll need to pop over to her place tonight.

If I get back with time to spare look for me on the low side of 14050.

72

Jim N5IB

the Louisiana Fox

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<http://dl.www.juno.com/get/tagj>.

Date: Thu, 13 Sep 2001 15:44:33 -0800
From: Jim Larsen AL7FS <AL7FS@pobox.alaska.net>
To: "qrp-1@lehigh.edu" <qrp-1@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [106966] Fox tonight - AL7FS not running
Message-ID: <3BA144E1.3836A550@pobox.alaska.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
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I am sorry folks. I just don't feel like doing the fox hunt tonight. I also don't have a rig hooked up just now although that could be cured if I felt like doing it.

Again, my apologies...maybe another time.

73, Jim

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Jim Larsen, AL7FS, Anchorage, Alaska
(BP51cc) - 61.101 North, 149.824 West
mailto:al7fs@arrl.net - <http://www.qsl.net/al7fs/>

Date: Thu, 13 Sep 2001 23:51:04 +0000
From: "Delbert Long" <ad6we@hotmail.com>
To: prvalko@oakland.edu
Cc: qrp-1@lehigh.edu
Subject: [106967] Re: Terrorists Clogging the Internet!
Message-ID: <F1969a3s9p8CaiD51Y10000e2d8@hotmail.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; format=flowed

I must tell you that I am saddened and angered by your reply. I, like you (assumption) am an American who feels deeply injured personally by what happened Tuesday. The message that I forwarded was sent to me by a relative for whom I care deeply. I haven't had a lot of contact lately with that particular relative, and I would no sooner send a reply like yours, than I would try to fly.

I don't appreciate being called a terrorist. That really hurts.

I hope you are finding healthy ways to deal with your grief. I know that most of us are in a great deal of pain at this time.

God Bless you, and those you love.

Delbert Long, AD6WE
2111 Cheyenne Way Unit 9
Fullerton, CA 92833-4912
Grid Square DM13av

Everything should be made as simple as possible, but not simpler. - Albert Einstein

It ain't over 'till it's over. - Yogi Berra

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Date: Thu, 13 Sep 2001 19:51:59 -0400
From: Daivd Snowdon <norway@interlog.com>
To: qrp-1@lehigh.edu
Subject: [106968] FS: MFJ259 \$75 + shipping
Message-ID: <E15hgH0-0007hr-00@smtp.ca.inter.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I'm selling a MFJ-259 SWR analyzer for \$75 plus shipping. The reason for the low price is that I accidentally damaged the external frequency counter input port. Otherwise, the unit works fine.

Please e-mail me at: norway@interlog.com

Thanks,
David, VA3DKS

Date: Thu, 13 Sep 2001 20:01:59 -0400
From: "ZOOM" <kandrparker@sympatico.ca>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [106969] Re: Terrorists Clogging the Internet!
Message-ID: <002301c13cb0\$79dfb820\$99a4fea9@robparke>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Perhaps now more than ever, everyone should purchase and use a personal firewall. It prevents outsiders from looking at your files and getting personal information. It's a worthwhile add on if your online. You should be surprised how many hits a person get in a day.

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 00:02:11 +0000
From: "Delbert Long" <ad6we@hotmail.com>
To: w6toy@erols.com
Cc: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [106970] An Apology
Message-ID: <F1621Xx5TjamJrBEm360000e6a8@hotmail.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; format=flowed

>From: Bruce Muscolino <w6toy@erols.com>

>I guess you believe that you are the only one in America who has seen or
>heard a TV report in the last few days. Most of this information was
>released YESTERDAY by the government. You are only cluttering up this
>list with your keyboard! If you have something of value to contribute,
>by all means do it. Otherwise, please remember that your list mates are
>thinking, breathing human beings!
>
>73

Oh, my gosh and all this time I thought that I was the only one!

Sorry I missed the announcement. Maybe it was when I was in the bathroom trying to compose myself because I find myself breaking down and I am ashamed to let my co-workers see my tears. After all, they only care about the money they stand to lose when the market reopens because this incident is going to ruin our economy.

Sorry for wasting your precious bandwidth. I know how important it must be at a time like this.

Tell you what. Let's meet tomorrow noon at church. We can pray together, and if you want to cry, it will be okay with me. I might just feel like

crying too.

You won't have any trouble finding me. I will be the guy wearing a flag.

God Bless America and God Bless You and those you love.

Del, AD6WE

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Date: Thu, 13 Sep 2001 17:50:34 -0700
From: Bob Nielsen <nielsen@oz.net>
To: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [106971] Re: Rigs
Message-ID: <20010913175034.C10699@oz.net>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Disposition: inline

On Thu, Sep 13, 2001 at 03:22:47PM -0400, Bruce Muscolino wrote:

> Mark,

>

> I will not burst any of your bubbles. I have actually worked
> communications during the Malibu Fire back in 1993. Our club was the
> support for the Santa Monica Red Cross. We provided coordinating
> communication and also accompanied Red Cross workers on their rounds.
> At no time were we ever placed in charge of any communications. It is
> unlikely that amateurs would ever be responsible for communications in
> an emergency, except for the first few minutes!

>

> At no time was HF operation ever considered. While the emergency was
> definitely a local operation, the Red Cross personnel had ample cell
> phones to contact outlying activities for health and welfare traffic.
> With few exceptions the only reason we were allowed to participate was
> because of our close affiliation with the Red Cross. Many activities
> don't even want amateurs involved.

Interesting. Back around 1955 or so, I was part of the Crescent Bay
Emergency Net on 75 meters and we installed a HF station in the Santa
Monica Red Cross headquarters, for use in the event of an emergency.
Of course cell phones weren't too common at that time....

I understand that during many emergency situations the cellular systems

become too congested for reliable communications.

Bob, N7XY

Date: Thu, 13 Sep 2001 20:55:43 -0400
From: "Wilford D. Lindsey" <70511.3041@compuserve.com>
To: ".QRP-L Discussion Group" <QRP-L@Lehigh.edu>
Subject: [106972] [re]Visit
Message-ID: <200109132055_MC3-DFC9-919D@compuserve.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Transfer-Encoding: quoted-printable
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 charset=ISO-8859-1
Content-Disposition: inline

Gang:

My deepest apologies. I accidentally sent a message with this title to the
entire reflector. Sorry, all.

73,
--Doc/K0EVZ

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 11:23:37 +0900
From: Junichi Nakajima <nakaji@crl.go.jp>
To: qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [106973] Re: Pixie 2 QRPp Transceiver
Message-ID: <200109140219.LAA19405@ryuu.>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

Hi Brice and all,

Recently I completed the Pixie tranceiver myself.
This is one of the most interesting QRP project.
With the tiny tranceiver, you can communicate
with others!
Although the source of its information is rather
spreaded around, where I bookmarked are

http://www.cyberbound.net/QRPp/KA8MAV_Pixie2.htm

<http://www.qsl.net/we6w/text/pixie.html>

<http://www.superbaby.com/jj1slw/qrp.htm>

the last one is in Japanese, but I suppose you can
see some information from his drawing.
He is the expert who did W-JA contact with his Pixie2.
>From my experience, RIT to the Pixie is recommended.
A full-sized DP is recommended partner too.

Rgds.,

JL1KRA/QRP Junichi Nakajima

Date: Thu, 13 Sep 2001 22:09:32 -0500
From: "George, W5YR" <w5yr@att.net>
To: "qrp-l@Lehigh.edu" <qrp-l@Lehigh.edu>, netxqrp <netxqrp@qth.net>
Subject: [106974] Xtreme Fox Hunt
Message-ID: <3BA174EC.67AB0D45@att.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Poor to average conditions here tonight, but got a few pelts mixed in with
all the DX:

N1FN 0203
N6WG 0204
K0EVZ 0206 Still 59+ at 0300!
N9AW 0208
N2WW 0230
K4FB Never heard
W8RU " "
NW7DX " "

Thanks to the Foxii for this last party of the Summer! Fun while it lasted
. . . see you all next month on 40!

72/73, George W5YR - the Yellow Rose of Texas QRP-L 1373 NETXQRP 6
Fairview, TX 30 mi NE of Dallas in Collin county EM13qe SOC 262
Amateur Radio W5YR, in the 56th year and it just keeps getting better!
Icom IC-756PRO #02121 Kachina #91900556 IC-765 #02437

Date: Thu, 13 Sep 2001 21:00:10 -0600
From: "AB0CD" <ab0cd@uswest.net>
To: "QRP-L" <qrp-l@Lehigh.edu>, "cqclist" <CQCLIST@EGROUPS.COM>
Subject: [106975] SuperFox
Message-ID: <000701c13cc9\$5eabe060\$254cb5d1@dnvr.uswest.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Well, superFox was a dud at my QTH. Only heard 5 and worked 4. Got N2WW, N1FN, N9AW & N6WG. Heard Doc, K0EVZ in the mud and tried him a few times but no go. Still, it was fun.

72 De AB0CD..

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 03:12:33
From: "Mike WA8BXN" <hubby2k@hotmail.com>
To: qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [106976] [FOX] Found 4
Message-ID: <F269HBGdWbvvlkuaYY000120a1@hotmail.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; format=flowed

Worked K0EVZ, N2WW, N6WG and N1FN. Were there more on the air? Thanks to everyone who made the fox hunts possible!

73 - Mike WA8BXN

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Date: Thu, 13 Sep 2001 23:21:12 -0400
From: "Wilford D. Lindsey" <70511.3041@compuserve.com>
To: ".QRP-L Discussion Group" <QRP-L@Lehigh.edu>
Cc: ")W.D.(Doc)Lindsey/K0EVZ" <70511.3041@compuserve.com>
Subject: [106977] FOX Hunt--Yikes
Message-ID: <200109132321_MC3-DFC5-D9A2@compuserve.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Transfer-Encoding: quoted-printable

Content-Type: text/plain;
charset=ISO-8859-1
Content-Disposition: inline

Gang:

Well the 60 minutes ROARED by. Conditions were not so good, with a total= of 28 hunters in the log. I was absolutely unable to dig a couple of guy= s out, no matter what. QSB would be both long and short, it seemed. Just never able to hear even the entire call. Very sorry if I missed you.

Setup here was the K2 to either the Double Bazooka up 48' in the centre, = or for awhile the 560' horizontal loop up 33'. Antenna selection did not se= em to make any appreciable difference.

73,
--Doc/K0EVZ

Date: Thu, 13 Sep 2001 23:26:27 -0400
From: Pete Burbank <plburbank@kih.net>
To: qrp-1@lehigh.edu
Subject: [106978] Fox- xtreme hunt
Message-ID: <5.0.2.1.0.20010913230736.00a94500@KIH.net>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"; format=flowed

Furry foxes,
That was great fun.
3 in the first 10 minutes (ET, Doc and Larry N2WW.....all strong throughout)
After that, Bob N6WG popped up above the Ritty frequency at 0237 and finally
in the last few minutes Jerry N9AW and I had an ESP/QSB contact barely
above the noise. So bagged 5 of ?.
The Propagation Fairy served up some seemingly selective skip distances!
Thanks and 73 to all.
Pete NV4V Ky

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 03:34:43 -0500
From: "Jerry Scherkenbach" <jerrys@execpc.com>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>

Cc: "WA9TZE, Jim Akre" <jsakre@execpc.com>,
 "W9XU, Lon" <lon.richoz@med.ge.com>,
 Subject: [106979] Final Summer Fox Hunt for N9AW
 Message-ID: <001301c13cf8\$1b5696a0\$1382cfa9@j0k9j2>
 MIME-Version: 1.0
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 charset="iso-8859-1"
 Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Thanks all for the QSOs tonight. Activity was really on the slim side and conditions seemed only fair. Managed to pull LZ2RS in though with his 1 watt - thanks Rumi.

Here's my log of 30 QSOs..... 72 de Jerry N9AW

All reports sent: 559 WI JERRY 5W

TIME	CALL	RST	SPC	NAME	POWER
0201	N0TK	559	CO	DAN	3
0201	N2WW	559	CO	LARRY	5
0202	AB0CD	559	CO	DICK	5
0203	VE6EX	559	AB	DAN	5
0203	NQ7X	559	AZ	FLOYD	5
0204	N0RC	559	CO	ROD	5
0204	N4SO	599	AL	KEN	5
0205	N0DSP	559	CO	TOM	5
0207	K4BYF	559	FL	JACK	4
0207	W5YR	559	TX	GEORGE	5
0208	W5TB	559	TX	DOC	5
0208	WE9K	559	WI	GLENN	5
0210	LZ2RS	579	LZ	RUMI	1
0212	K5BGB	589	TX	ROD	5
0213	KB7WW	559	OR	ART	5
0214	K7LDB	579	WA	LEE	5
0216	K0FRP	579	CO	AL	5
0218	N6ZI	559	CA	AL	5
0220	N1FN	559	CO	ET	5
0221	N6XG	559	CA	WALT	5
0223	KG4FSN	559	FL	JUAN	4
0225	K9PL	559	IL	PHIL	5
0228	AA50	559	LA	VERN	5
0232	WA9TZE	559	WI	JIM	5
0236	AA7XA	559	OR	FRANK	5
0237	AC6UH	559	CA	GORDY	5
0243	VE5RC	559	SK	BRUCE	5
0244	VA6RF	579	AB	EARL	5
0252	N6WG	559	CA	BOB	5
0258	NV4V	329	KY	PETE	5

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 03:46:14 +0100
From: "Rich Dailey, KA80KH" <okh.npi@gte.net>
To: qrp-1@lehigh.edu
Subject: [106980] Cell Phones as QRP beacons
Message-ID: <3.0.32.20010914034529.006abdf4@mail.gte.net>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"

It appears many had cellphones on them at the time of the attack. I wish there was a low-power beacon mode that could be activated in these situations that rescue personnel could home in on. A personal EPIRB of sorts. Perhaps we could toss this idea around? I think it would be constructive, on-topic, and perhaps helpful.

My mind is just in free-thinking mode right now. It's very frustrating to not be able to help out in a more direct way.

Rich, KA80KH

Rich Dailey, KA80KH - Phyllis Dailey, KB4NPI
"Not having Sendmail is like not having VD" - Anonymous

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 00:10:41 -0400
From: G Brandon Hoyt <preacher102677@juno.com>
To: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [106981] Re: Cell Phones as QRP beacons
Message-ID: <20010914.001043.-3974923.4.preacher102677@juno.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Hmmm...

Maybe, but the big thing I think would be the prollum would be battery consumption.

Maybe, you could have a "sleeping rx" that listened for a signal to be

txed to the cell, and then, it could send a packet burst telling location.

LIC,

G. Brandon Hoyt --"Known far and Wide as the Great Pumpkin."

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DE KG4GVL Clear.

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Date: Thu, 13 Sep 2001 23:52:20 -0400

From: "Walt Amos" <k8cv@netzero.net>

To: "List Qrp-l" <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>

Subject: [106982] superfox

Message-ID: <001701c13cd0\$a88f1ce0\$7e989840@NetZeroUser>

MIME-Version: 1.0

Content-Type: text/plain;

charset="iso-8859-1"

Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

yes, pretty quiet here

Worked 4 superfoxes

Walt K8CV Royal Oak, MI

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Date: Thu, 13 Sep 2001 23:33:22 -0500

From: "Glenn Butzlauff" <gbutzlauff@wi.rr.com>

To: <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>

Subject: [106983] Re: Xtreme Fox Hunt

Message-ID: <004701c13cd6\$632324c0\$d3bf1d41@wi.rr.com>

MIME-Version: 1.0

Content-Type: text/plain;

charset="iso-8859-1"

Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Only heard and worked N9AW, N2WW and N1FN tonite. Not bad considering I usually only heard one Fox per regular hunt this summer.
Thanks to Larry, Jerry and ET for the contacts.

Glenn, WE9K

----- Original Message -----

From: George, W5YR <w5yr@att.net>
To: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Sent: Thursday, September 13, 2001 10:09 PM
Subject: Xtreme Fox Hunt

> Poor to average conditions here tonight, but got a few pelts mixed in with
> all the DX:
>
> N1FN 0203
> N6WG 0204
> K0EVZ 0206 Still 59+ at 0300!
> N9AW 0208
> N2WW 0230
> K4FB Never heard
> W8RU " "
> NW7DX " "
>
> Thanks to the Foxii for this last party of the Summer! Fun while it lasted
> . . . see you all next month on 40!
>
> 72/73, George W5YR - the Yellow Rose of Texas QRP-L 1373 NETXQRP 6
> Fairview, TX 30 mi NE of Dallas in Collin county EM13qe SOC 262
> Amateur Radio W5YR, in the 56th year and it just keeps getting better!
> Icom IC-756PRO #02121 Kachina #91900556 IC-765 #02437

Date: Thu, 13 Sep 2001 22:49:42 -0600
From: "AB0CD" <ab0cd@uswest.net>
To: "QRP-L" <qrp-l@Lehigh.edu>, "cqclist" <CQCLIST@EGROUPS.COM>
Subject: [106984] CQC MEETING STILL ON FOR SAT SEPT 15
Message-ID: <004301c13cd8\$ab3ba5a0\$254cb5d1@dnvr.uswest.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"
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Program will be Marshall, N1FN: "CW-- the Final Frontier." (Or, How I Broke the 18 WPM Speed Barrier.) It's sure to be interesting, and challenging.

Lunch will be available, so bring your appetite too!

72 Dick AB0CD..

Date: Thu, 13 Sep 2001 22:17:51 -0700
From: "Roger A. McCarty" <rmccarty@earthlink.net>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>,
 "'HomeBrew'" <homebrew@qth.net>, <BOATANCHORS@LISTSERV.TEMPE.GOV>
Subject: [106985] Free Flag Wall Paper (U.S. Amateurs)
Message-ID: <NEBBJCAPOLCDGKDKJPGLKEEACLAA.rmccarty@earthlink.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

<http://www.rmccarty.net/Flag/>

Roger KD6CC

Date: Thu, 13 Sep 2001 23:09:27 -0700
From: "John Moriarity" <k6qq@hdo.net>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>

Subject: [106986] Re: Rigs

Message-ID: <009001c13ce3\$cfc93f80\$e5414cd1@k6qq>

I haven't posted in quite a while, but here goes:

There are plenty of places in the continental U.S. (where "disasters" occur) that are poorly served by VHF repeaters. Pull out your map, and look for Alturas, in *far* northeastern California. We had wildfires that burned over 100,000 acres within a 60 mile radius of my QTH last month!

With a 5 watt HT, I can only hit one repeater. With 100 watts and a beam, I could hit two. This is mountain country!

All the pontificating about high power needed to establish HF links was lacking any information about real experiences. Here are mine:

Using my K2 (this *is* a QRP group, right?) and an inverted-V cut for 30 meters, 30 feet high at the apex, I regularly check into the "Jefferson Noon Net", covering northern California and southern Oregon. The net control is about 80 miles distant, but I am heard well out to 200 miles (the furthest regular checkin). This is with 10 watts SSB. (The antenna is fed with "450 ohm" window line.)

Most participants in this net use "100 watt" rigs, but I have *never* been unable to be heard by most checkins. (I don't hear all of them, either.)

Similarly, the ARES net meets on 75 meters in the evening, and *using* the same short antenna, I can always be heard with ten watts! When I say "heard", I mean without repeats.

My experience is not based on one try, but many months of experience. Of course CW would do even better, but nobody seems to want to use it in emergencies anymore.

So, *I* don't think that you should count out QRP rigs for HF emergency communications.

Flames will be ignored.

72,

John, K6QQ

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 08:48:42 +0100
From: "Tony Fishpool" <tony@g4wif.fsnet.co.uk>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [106987] Re: Terrorists Clogging the Internet!
Message-ID: <00ea01c13cf2\$309c8200\$8848893e@duroon>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

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Please no posts on how safe your Apple/Linux/ZX81 is compared to Wintel.

Kind regards
Tony - G4WIF

----- Original Message -----
From: "ZOOM" <kandrparker@sympatico.ca>

<snip>

> you would
> be surprised how many hits a person get in a day.
>
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Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 07:25:05 -0400

From: Tim O'Rourke <TORourke@KaiserFT.com>
To: "'qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU'" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [106988] Emergency Radios My TCW
Message-ID: <910D8E9955E3D411B3AE00A0C9319CB80C640E@MAIL>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"

There are many ways to equip for emergencies and it depends on your ARIES assignment. My personal mobile setup is a Kenwood TM-800D with aprs, and an Icom 706 with packet and PSK-31. I am an assistant EOC and may need to fill several roles so this may be more than needed by most volunteers. I do like the 706 and probably the FT-100 is as good. I also have a K2 and a FT-817 I would not relay on them in an emergency except the 817 is useful at a shelter for VHF. A lot of the statewide communication is done on 40 and 80 meters and the QRP rigs along with portable antennas and daytime QRN are a compromise. Don't get me wrong on the QRP rigs I have worked a lot of field contacts with both, Televieve last night with K2 and Outbacker from soccer field, but those contacts depend on unpredictable propagation. In an emergency you need ground wave communication and that dictates some power, usually 100 watts is adequate but I have wished for more. In a real emergency but what ever you have at hand in service and this is very important, LISTEN, keep all traffic to minimum, let the net control direct all communication.

73 Tim O'Rourke KG4CHX Assistant EOC Mecklenburg County NC.

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 08:38:13 -0400
From: "Mike Yetsko" <myetsko@insydesw.com>
To: <tony@g4wif.fsnet.co.uk>,
"Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [106989] Re: Terrorists Clogging the Internet!
Message-ID: <00c101c13d1b\$26907fe0\$6b01a8c0@INSYDENT>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I use a D-Link DI-701 at home between my cable modem and a 10/100 switch for my home network. It was \$89 on a special deal when I got it about a year ago. A friend saw it and wanted one, so we went looking and found the DI-704 (same 'residential gateway' as mine only with 256 user support instead of 32 user support) for \$59 on special. The '4' in 704 means it has 4 ports for users instead of just one. Works great.

I needed the bigger network since I have 3 computers in bedrooms (each

kid and me) and a second tap for a laptop. Then two machines down in the den. My friend just has two desktops (his desktop and his daughters) and a laptop. He's still griping now that he has one more 'hole' to fill on the thing...

Mike

----- Original Message -----

From: Tony Fishpool <tony@g4wif.fsnet.co.uk>
To: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Sent: Friday, September 14, 2001 3:48 AM
Subject: Re: Terrorists Clogging the Internet!

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>

> <snip>

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> > be surprised how many hits a person get in a day.

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Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 08:48:15 -0700

From: Daryl Cline <wb4yex@yahoo.com>

To: ATRAIL-L@Lehigh.EDU, HamRadio_Mountaintopping@yahoogroups.com,
qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU, qrp-1@qth.net
Subject: [106990] AT Today
Message-ID: <4.3.2.7.0.20010914084801.00b0c8c0@mail.ntelos.net>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"; format=flowed

Well things are looking pretty grim here WX wise this morning. It was
suppose to rain last night and be a "Sunny fall day with a high of 69" to
quote the WX man on the news last night. I just wonder how many of us
would keep our jobs if we screwed up only half s much as WX men screw up
? :-)

Right now it is severally over cast and windy at present.s out but I may
drive up and park at an overlook where the trail runs through and work from
inside the truck. I want to play with my new toy darn it. :-)
So I might still make my original time table.

Daryl Cline WB4YEX FPQRP # 322 ARS #632 SOC #449
Harrisonburg, Va.

<http://www.cfw.com/~jdc>

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Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 09:13:49 -0700
From: Daryl Cline <wb4yex@yahoo.com>
To: ATRAIL-L@Lehigh.EDU, HamRadio_Mountaintopping@yahoogroups.com,
qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU, qrp-1@qth.net
Subject: [106991] AT in Va.
Message-ID: <4.3.2.7.0.20010914091026.00afa4f0@mail.ntelos.net>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"; format=flowed

I will be heading up via vehicle to the AT at Swift run gap in VA in a few
minutes. I should be on the air by 11:00 on 7.040/14.060. I will also keep
my original sched of 1300 edt. The trail cross the highway there soI can
operate from the vehicle on the trail. Maybe the sun will come out later
and I can hike down the trail and operate from under a tree this afternoon.

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Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 09:32:29 -0400
From: dmaliniak@penton.com
To: qrp-1@lehigh.edu
Subject: [106992] Re: Celebrations in Arabic S. Paterson, NJ
Message-ID: <0F42030689.0C56727A-0N85256AC7.0049E31D@penton.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

Lee, KM4YY wrote:

After this "Celebrations in Arabic South Paterson, NJ" thread was started, not one of the news networks has picked up on it. The Washington Post missed it too. Seems a little strange...

Nothing in the Bergen Record (one of two main local papers) or the New York Times either. It's starting to look like a bit of inflammatory rhetoric from here.

I will point out, though, that we have Yassir Arafat giving blood on one hand and reports of the Palestinian Authority attempting to suppress news reports of the celebrations on the West Bank on the other.

http://www.worldtribune.com/worldtribune/breaking_2.html

72, David, AD2A
Glen Rock, NJ

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 09:00:04 -0500
From: Michael Melland <w9wis@charter.net>
To: tony@g4wif.fsnet.co.uk,
Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [106993] RE: Firewalls [was Terrorists Clogging the Internet!]
Message-ID: <NEBBLKAGEKBNGELOFFCAKEMACOOA.w9wis@charter.net>
MIME-version: 1.0

Content-type: text/plain; charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit

I agree that Zone Alarm is a very good product however there is another "free for home use" product available for download named TPF (Tiny Personal Firewall). It is available at the Tiny Software web page (<http://www.tinysoftware.com/pwall.php>). It may not be as user friendly as Zone but it is much more effective we have been using it on our servers at work for some time and I use it at home. A general rule set is available so those not real knowlegable on how to set up a firewall can get started. How good is it ? It's the firewall that the US Air Force uses.

72/73

Mike

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Michael Melland, W9WIS
QRP-L #1656 QRPARCI #9875
SOC #142 FPQRP #244 IPARC #252
EN54pc Winnebago Cty, Wisc.

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Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 07:20:19 -0700 (PDT)
From: Steve Yates <aa5tb@yahoo.com>
To: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [106994] RE: Firewalls
Message-ID: <20010914142019.39664.qmail@web14605.mail.yahoo.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

I agree with Mike. I have used the Tiny Personal Firewall for several months and I like it very much. It is unbelievable how many people try to connect to your computer without your knowledge! By the way, I use a dial-up connection.

=====
Steve Yates

Call: AA5TB
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Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 10:24:18 -0400
From: "AI2Q Alex" <ai2q@adelphia.net>
To: <nkennedy@tcainternet.com>, "QRP-L (E-mail)" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [106995] RE: Where are we at?
Message-ID: <000001c13d28\$f31af1a0\$6401a8c0@alex>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"
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Hello Nick:

Thank you for your reply.

I must disagree. In an open society that's threatened by foreign-based state-backed terrorists and attackers, it's the government's role and duty to keep the populace informed. I am not inclined to favor Patrick Buchanan at all as a statesman, and as I said, I consider him a reactionary politician. However, the man is a brilliant historian and writer, and his warnings are publicized in his book. His warning about a nuclear attack on America is especially troubling.

I have a few questions for you Nick: Have you read Buchanan's book? Have you read Rashid's book?

Have you heard Commander William Donaldson USN, Ret. discuss the issues surrounding Flight 800? Have you read the letter that Cmdr. Donaldson sent to Philip M. Condit of the Boeing Company and Gerald Gitner of TWA?

I suggest that you read it ASAP. It has nothing to do with urban legend whatsoever (although the FBI might have you think otherwise). Indeed, why is it that anyone who has a contrary observation in this Flight 800 case has been systematically discredited as a crackpot, or worse, as a conspiracy theory nut?

Why would a respected US Navy commander get himself involved in this discussion? Do you think he needs to be thought of as a conspiracy nut in his retirement years?

All I can say to you Nick is that I personally heard the comments of the flight engineer and the pilot who brought Flight 880 into JFK airport from Athens, just before the flight was turned around and departed for EU as Flight 800. Both men stated, in a four-hour interview that I listened to on WABC (770 kHz out of NYC), that they believe a missile brought down the aircraft. These guys weren't imposters on this radio program from one of New York's oldest and largest radio stations, were they?

Yes Nick, we do often arm our enemies in order to contain others, and that was most certainly the case in Afghanistan during the Russian invasion there. But why did we do that? Because Unocal and other oil interests didn't want the Russians to have the oil, that's why.

However, it's also indisputable that we sell arms--for profit and for profit only--to well-heeled buyers around the world.

Actually Nick, I think the real threat to our future is poverty, hunger, malnutrition, and environmental damage. These are also the things that we "export" in so many exploitative ways. And these are the things that anger radicals in places such as Central Asia, Africa, and the Middle East.

As you know, the "73" in my signature means "best regards" Nick. I'm glad that you included it in your note to me as well. I'm pleased that we can discuss these issues openly. -- Vy 73, AI2Q, Alex

-----Original Message-----

From: Nick Kennedy [mailto:nkennedy@tcainternet.com]

Sent: Thursday, September 13, 2001 8:36 PM

To: 'ai2q@adelphia.net'

Subject: RE: Where are we at?

Alex--

I don't think it would be a good idea for the president of the US to advertise ways that terrorists can kill large number of Americans. So we disagree there.

On Pat Buchanan. No thanks.

He predicted Tuesday's attack,

Well, why didn't he warn us then? Anyone can give vague warnings of

terrorist actions to occur sometime in the next zero to 20 years.

With respect to what's happening now as we enter this uncertain and perilous time ahead, keep in mind that not too many years ago, we sold the mujahadin guerillas in Afghanistan gadzillions of dollars worth of Stinger missiles so they could be our proxies and take down Soviet helicopters and planes so we could "contain" the USSR (which meant keeping them away from the world's last identifiable huge oil and gas deposits in Afghanistan, Kyrgyz, Azerbaijan, Tadjik, Chechnya, etc).

Everyone who's been around a few years knows we armed our current enemies so that they could make war against our main enemy of the time. We created a monster. But you're not revealing a big secret--it's well know to anyone who's been awake for the past 25 years or so.

Also, after a few commercial airplanes (TWA Flight 800, for one) dropped from the sky, the CIA tried to enact a secret covert Stinger buy-back program. No way, said the Afghanis (These Stingers are a lot of fun, eh?)

Sorry, it takes more than a few nutcase internet sites and urban myths to sell me on conspiracy theories.

73--Nick, WA5BDU

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 08:32:45 -0600
From: "Mugleston, Brad" <brad.mugleston@gwl.com>
To: CQCLIST@yahoogroups.com, QRP-L <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [106996] RE: [CQCLIST] CQC MEETING STILL ON FOR SAT SEPT 15
Message-ID: <F9645092A142D3118CBD00805F15292E16064857@eb-mail1.gwl.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain

How about bringing juice to drink so we can get the blood flowing pre-donations?

I plan on bringing my new 80M rig.

de KI00T, Brad

> -----Original Message-----
> From: AB0CD [SMTP:ab0cd@uswest.net]

> Sent: Thursday, September 13, 2001 10:50 PM
> To: QRP-L; cqclist
> Subject: [CQCLIST] CQC MEETING STILL ON FOR SAT SEPT 15
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Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 08:54:15 -0600
From: William R Colbert <w5xe@juno.com>
To: qrp-1@lehigh.edu
Subject: [106997] Re: Rigs
Message-ID: <20010914.085416.-174933.0.w5xe@juno.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
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Amazing. INteresting discussion but some sure would do good to operate on 75/80 or even 160 during the daylight hours. It used to be before the proliferation of vhf/uhf repeaters that those bands were the localized communications frequencies - reliable with little effect from sunspot activity, up to a couple of hundred miles during the day - and more at night. If one studies vhf communications paths in areas of mountains, valleys, including concrete mountains and valleys of the cities, you will see that unless repeaters are often and high, they vhf/uhf will be unreliable and perhaps non-existent. In the case of the recent disaster in NYC, they lost a great number of vhf/uhf repeaters and cell systems. With that hole, I am surprised that many were working except thru what portable systems were provided subsequently. Altho I don't normally use digital systems, for emergency usage, especially in running long lists of data such as survivor/casualty lists, rtty, amtor or packet is the way, and and with the NVIS antennas, reliable between command centers. Walk around service providers would do as they are now, vhf ht's back to the command center then out from there. It only takes a couple of other accidents at well placed DSS's to further reduce the cell systems to unnecessary carried baggage. Additionally, there are not that many vhf/uhf/cell systems that are able to operate for long periods of time separated from the AC mains. They may have a battery backup, or a generator, but that has to be fueled or recharged, and they do not always have the required infrastructure for that.

When setting up my communications for use in the field, we used the standard commercial/mil-spec provided 100 watt transceivers such as the Trans-world, Harris, Sun-Air, which with the proper selection of frequencies accomplished the mission reliably. The designated relay stations had up to 1 kw - maybe more to make sure their messages got

thru. And if the hf/nvis antenna system is not the best way to go, then why does the U.S. military in the field almost always use that combo - with the antennas at 18" or so off the ground, and not VHF?
All of this is food for thought, and should, I think, be considered as each emergency situation will be different.

73

Ray

Retired USDJ communications specialist

"Politicians are like nappies. Both should be changed regularly -- and for the same reason"

"Scotsman - Scotsman's Diary 12/97"

Ray Colbert, W5XE, 00TC#3618, SOWP#1064M SOC#78
fp #111 ARCI-5784 NCT2R El Paso, (FAR WEST) TEXAS

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 09:53:02 -0500
From: Michael Melland <w9wis@charter.net>
To: QRP-L <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>, fpqrp-l@mpna.com
Subject: [106998] [OT]All Politics Aside... And of One Mind
Message-ID: <NEBBLKAGEKBNGELOFFCAKEMDCOAA.w9wis@charter.net>
MIME-version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit

Dedicated to all who lost their lives, especially my friends and brother officers of the NYPD, FDNY and NY Port Authority PD. No citizen of the USA ever dies in vain... no american life is unimportant... "All that is needed for evil to triumph is for good men to do nothing."

I'm Proud to be an American
(God Bless The USA)
Lee Greenwood

If tomorrow all the things were gone
I'd worked for all my life,
And I had to start again
with just my children and my wife,
I'd thank my lucky stars
to be living here today,

'Cause the flag still stands for freedom
and they can't take that away.
I'm proud to be an American
where at least I know I'm free,
And I won't forget the men who died
who gave that right to me,
And I gladly stand up next to you
and defend her still today,
'Cause there ain't no doubt I love this land
God Bless the U.S.A.

>From the lakes of Minnesota
to the hills of Tennessee,
Across the plains of Texas
from sea to shining sea.
>From Detroit down to Houston
and New York to L.A.,
There's pride in every American heart
and it's time we stand and say:

I'm proud to be an American
where at least I know I'm free,
And I won't forget the men who died
who gave that right to me,
And I gladly stand up next to you
and defend her still today,
'Cause there ain't no doubt I love this land
God Bless the U.S.A.

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Michael Melland, W9WIS
QRP-L #1656 QRPARCI #9875
SOC #142 FPQRP #244 IPARC #252
EN54pc Winnebago Cty, Wisc.

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 11:34:14 -0400
From: "Carter Craigie, N3AO" <n3ao@bee.net>
To: "Low Power Amateur Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>,
"Elecrafft List Members" <elecrafft@qth.net>, <epaqrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>,
Subject: [106999] Station on Appalachian Trail in Virginia
Message-ID: <003d01c13d32\$b7df2c00\$7e5a4a3f@satellite>

Hi all,

I just worked Daryl WB4YEX on the Appalachian Trail in Virginia. He's looking for contacts. He is running 3 Watts to a random wire up in a tree on his K1 on its "Maiden Voyage!"

Go give him some calls to make his effort all worthwhile.

He is on 7.040.2, and I worked him at 1527 UTC. He's also going to try 14.060 +/-.

Thanks,

Carter Craigie N3AO
EPA QRP Nr. 13
K2 Nr. 678
K1 Nr. 159

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 08:45:26 -0700 (PDT)
From: Doug Bankston <dougbankston1@yahoo.com>
To: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [107000] Hamfest in Northern VA (Stafford, VA)
Message-ID: <20010914154526.17451.qmail@web11305.mail.yahoo.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

Sorry, but I don't have a list of qrp'ers here in Virginia, but know a lot of guys on this list live around here and might now know about this upcoming hamfest...

If you're interested in attending the hamfest in Stafford, VA on Saturday Oct the 13th, check out:

www.n4nw.org/Hamfest.htm

Don't be put off by the large # of tables that are still available. Last year most of the were snapped up at the last minute. There were a few hundred people in and out of there last week..

This is a great "Old Fashioned" hamfest guys...
I was there last year. The table I got only cost

\$10 bucks, and the admission was FREE....

73

Doug W4IDW
Stafford, VA

Terrorist Attacks on U.S. - How can you help?
Donate cash, emergency relief information
http://dailynews.yahoo.com/fc/US/Emergency_Information/

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 12:17:30 -0400
From: "Ronald A Pfeiffer" <Ronald_A_Pfeiffer@raytheon.com>
To: qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [107001] Antenna Fab question
Message-ID: <0F1DE4643C.F7A755AA-0N85256AC7.00594835@and.us.ray.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

I want to build a rotatable 44' doublet antenna as described by
L. B. Cebik. My question is what is the best way to attach the
ladderline to the aluminum tubing?

Ron - N1ZSW

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 12:17:37 -0700
From: "Dan Evans" <n9rla@yahoo.com>
To: <okh.npi@gte.net>,
"Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [107002] Re: Cell Phones as QRP beacons
Message-ID: <00bd01c13d51\$ebc0a200\$0101a8c0@danevans>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I would like it just so I could find mine! Once the XYL gets hold of it, I
can never locate it....

Dan Evans N9RLA
Scottsburg, IN 47170

{EM78}

IN-Ham list administrator

QRP-1 #1269

1/2 of the N9RLA /R no budget Rover Team

Check out the Rover Resource Page at:

<http://www.qsl.net/n9rla>

----- Original Message -----

From: "Rich Dailey, KA8OKH" <okh.npi@gte.net>

To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>

Sent: Thursday, September 13, 2001 7:46 PM

Subject: Cell Phones as QRP beacons

>

> It appears many had cellphones on them at the time of the
> attack. I wish there was a low-power beacon mode that
> could be activated in these situations that rescue personel
> could home in on. A personal EPIRB of sorts. Perhaps we
> could toss this idea around? I think it would be constructive,
> on-topic, and perhaps helpful.

>

> My mind is just in free-thinking mode right now. It's very
> frustrating to not be able to help out in a more direct way.

>

> Rich, KA8OKH

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> Rich Dailey, KA8OKH - Phyllis Dailey, KB4NPI

> "Not having Sendmail is like not having VD" - Anonymous

> -----

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Get your free @yahoo.com address at <http://mail.yahoo.com>

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 13:53:10 EDT

From: BruceAA5B@aol.com

To: qrp-1@lehigh.edu

Subject: [107003] W6E in QRP Afield

Message-ID: <51.1126a84e.28d39e06@aol.com>

MIME-Version: 1.0

Content-Type: text/plain; charset="US-ASCII"

Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I'll be operating "W6E" in QRP Afield this weekend as part of the on-the-air celebration for old Route 66. You can find event info at www.nadxa.com or www.qsl.net/adxa .
QSL via W5UR (SASE please) for a very cool card!

See you on the air,

Bruce AA5B

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 13:16:09 -0500
From: "Kanalz, Karl" <Karl.Kanalz@allegiancetelecom.com>
To: "'JDORSON@worldshare.net'" <JDORSON@worldshare.net>,
Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [107004] RE: Rigs & Emergency Communications
Message-ID:
<E78D8A9D6762D411B5440008C791D4AA04A49EBE@dfwex03.allegiancetelecom.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"

Don't worry, John. He's (Mike) missing a LOT!

Karl K - W8TIF
McKinney, Texas

-----Original Message-----

From: John Dorson [SMTP:JDORSON@worldshare.net]
Sent: Thursday, September 13, 2001 3:12 PM
To: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion
Subject: Re: Rigs & Emergency Communications

NOT AGAIN...

----- Original Message -----

From: "Mike" <mmorrow@companet.net>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Sent: Thursday, September 13, 2001 3:06 PM
Subject: Re: Rigs & Emergency Communications

> Kanalz, Karl wrote:

>

> > (KK5F - did you pass just one third of your Extra Class exam, Mike?)

>
> Karl,
>
> Please enlighten me with the intent of the above statement. It is hard
> to interpret it as other than a gratuitous and wholly unprovoked insult.
>
> I hope I'm missing something.
>
> Mike / KK5F

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 14:50:24 -0400
From: Bruce Muscolino <w6toy@erols.com>
To: nielsen@oz.net
Cc: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [107005] Re: Rigs
Message-ID: <3BA25170.6B5C0CAA@erols.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Bob,

>
> Interesting. Back around 1955 or so, I was part of the Crescent Bay
> Emergency Net on 75 meters and we installed a HF station in the Santa
> Monica Red Cross headquarters, for use in the event of an emergency.
> Of course cell phones weren't too common at that time....
>

That station and all the equipment was long gone by the time the
Westside Amateur Radio Club started to use the Santa Monica Red Cross
for a meeting place! I don't doubt that cell phone usage was a problem
in 1955! It was also busy in 1992, but the Red Cross used a combination
cell phones and their own radio frequencies to communicate.

73

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 13:41:10 -0500
From: "Kanalz, Karl" <Karl.Kanalz@allegiancetelecom.com>
To: "'Mike'" <mmorrow@companet.net>,
"Kanalz, Karl" <Karl.Kanalz@allegiancetelecom.com>
Cc: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [107006] RE: Rigs & Emergency Communications
Message-ID:
<E78D8A9D6762D411B5440008C791D4AA04A49EC3@dfwex03.allegiancetelecom.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0

Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"

You are, Mike, and you did (miss something, that is) - see my earlier
DIRECT (not to the reflector) response to you.

KK

-----Original Message-----

From: Mike [SMTP:mmorrow@companet.net]
Sent: Thursday, September 13, 2001 2:07 PM
To: Kanalz, Karl
Cc: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion
Subject: Re: Rigs & Emergency Communications

Kanalz, Karl wrote:

> (KK5F - did you pass just one third of your Extra Class exam, Mike?)

Karl,

Please enlighten me with the intent of the above statement. It is hard
to interpret it as other than a gratuitous and wholly unprovoked insult.

I hope I'm missing something.

Mike / KK5F

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 14:54:31 -0400
From: Bruce Muscolino <w6toy@erols.com>
To: okh.npi@gte.net
Cc: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [107007] Re: Cell Phones as QRP beacons
Message-ID: <3BA25267.6F82A82B@erols.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Rich,

The problem I can immediately see with using a cell phone as a beacon is
that if there is more than one on the information becomes next to
useless. They will interfere with each other. It is better, it seems,
to use them as they are intended. Transmit through the cell system and
most of the time you will be found!

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 13:59:27 -0500
From: "Kanalz, Karl" <Karl.Kanalz@allegiancetelecom.com>
To: "'w5xe@juno.com'" <w5xe@juno.com>,
Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-1@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [107008] RE: Rigs, Antennas & NVIS
Message-ID:
<E78D8A9D6762D411B5440008C791D4AA04A49EC6@dfwex03.allegiancetelecom.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"

Well, Ray, NVIS propagation has been known to the HF communication industry for many years, but until the Viet Nam war and its seemingly impenetrable jungles came along, no body seemed to do much about communicating "horizontally" through the mass of wood, bamboo, and whatever else the jungle had to offer --- all the military knew was that trying to talk "horizontally" over relatively short distances (say, under 100 miles) wasn't working.

Collins Radio Company developed an easily-transported and easily-erected orthogonal antenna system (antenna, transmission line [which doubled as the support mast for the antenna elements] and coupler) which performed as an NVIS antenna system. In essence, Ray, the antenna system "shot more-or-less straight up and straight down...." to the not-too-far-away headquarters the field guys were trying to reach. It worked.... well and successfully!

Trying to "talk horizontally through the jungle" didn't work, but NVIS did. VHF didn't work through the jungle (horizontally) either, vertically OR horizontally polarized.

Karl K - W8TIF
McKinney, Texas

-----Original Message-----
From: William R Colbert [SMTP:w5xe@juno.com]
Sent: Friday, September 14, 2001 9:54 AM
To: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion
Subject: Re: Rigs

<snip>

And if the hf/nvis antenna system is not the best way to go, then why does the U.S. military in the field almost always use that combo - with the antennas at 18" or so off the ground, and not VHF?
All of this is food for thought, and should, I think, be considered as each emergency situation will be different.

73

Ray

Retired USDJ communications specialist

Ray Colbert, W5XE

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 15:14:31 -0400
From: Bruce Muscolino <w6toy@erols.com>
To: Ronald_A_Pfeiffer@raytheon.com
Cc: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [107009] Re: Antenna Fab question
Message-ID: <3BA25717.FE05A0BE@erols.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Ron,

I don't know anything about the design but the most common way of attaching anything to aluminum tubing is to squeeze about 1/2 inch of the tubing end in a vise to flatten it out. Drill it for a #6 screw. Solder lugs on the wire and use the screws to attach it. Then put some coax seal on the joints and pass the ladder line through some sort of strain relief to prevent flexing that would cause it to break. I think you will find this in the Handbook too.

73

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 15:31:04 -0400
From: Bill Coleman <aa4lr@arrl.net>
To: <Ronald_A_Pfeiffer@raytheon.com>,
"Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [107010] Re: Antenna Fab question
Message-ID: <1010814153105.PAA20853@gate.iterated.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="US-ASCII"

On 9/14/01 12:17 PM, Ronald A Pfeiffer at Ronald_A_Pfeiffer@raytheon.com wrote:

>I want to build a rotatable 44' doublet antenna as described by
>L. B. Cebik. My question is what is the best way to attach the
>ladderline to the aluminum tubing?

Drill a (small) hole through the aluminum. Preferably drilled horizontally. Pass a stainless steel bolt through. Use two stainless washers and a stainless nut, and sandwich a round crimp lug between the two washers. The lug(s) attach to the ladderline. You can even solder the lugs if it makes you feel better.

The result is a strong joint that won't corrode, and won't weaken the aluminum.

Bill Coleman, AA4LR, PP-ASEL Mail: aa4lr@arrl.net
Quote: "Not within a thousand years will man ever fly!"
 -- Wilbur Wright, 1901

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 12:44:58 -0700 (PDT)
From: Jack WsuxABC <w6abc@yahoo.com>
To: qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: [107011] DK9SQ Mast - Now Flagpole!
Message-ID: <20010914194458.54439.qmail@web14204.mail.yahoo.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

In case no one has thought to do so yet and has a DK9SQ Mast or similar product, mine is now doing double duty as a 33 foot flagpole. I have a lightweight 3X5 US Flag positioned at about the 30 foot level and it is flying beautifully in the breeze over Oakland, CA.

72,
Jack W6ABC

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Website: <http://home.pacbell.net/friday2k>
QRP-L #2193 SOC#165 K2#1272 K1#37

Terrorist Attacks on U.S. - How can you help?
Donate cash, emergency relief information
http://dailynews.yahoo.com/fc/US/Emergency_Information/

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 15:59:00 -0400
From: "Hartwell, Martin E, NLCIO" <mehartwell@att.com>
To: "'qrp-l@lehigh.edu'" <qrp-l@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [107012] For Sale
Message-ID: <CE96E7BD5D14DE4DB6FCEA40EA05517E03730F@OCCLUST01EVS1.ugd.att.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"

Hi

Well I don't know how this will go, but. I have found, no refund, located whatever two laptops. Old laptops. One of these is a NCR 386 with internal 320MB hard disk. Loaded with dos 5.0 or 6.2, I don't remember which, and windows 3.1, plus a carry case. It has an external 3.5" 1.44MB floppy and power supply. I expect the battery is no longer any good. Also a docking station for this and its power supply. However I think for a logging PC it would be nice. I don't want much for it, whatever it takes to ship plus \$25.00.

The other is another NCR, 486 loaded the same. It has only an 80MB internal hard drive, internal 3.5" floppy, and external power supply. Has a good carry case too. No docking station.
\$20.00 over what it takes to ship this one.

Let me know if anyone is interested.

Marty
kd8bj

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 16:11:51 -0400
From: "NZ8J" <timcook@erinet.com>
To: <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [107013] FS: Ten Tec Omni-A
Message-ID: <003301c13d59\$7eb417c0\$6122fea9@nec>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

FS: Ten Tec Omni-A, this is a unique radio in that it has a few mods etc, but works super and is as stable as any omni I've had. Also the famous agc "pop" when strong signals come on is barely noticeable on this radio. Radio has 100+ watts on all bands except 24 meters has about 75 watts. Comes with manual and power cord. will operate 0-100W cw and 20-100w ssb as is. I would expect the ssb low power could be changed by altering the alc somewhat. Front panel is in excellent condition, all lettering is good and the overall cabinet condition is excellent. (not withstanding the extra alignment holes mentioned below) PTO feels real smooth, no warble on cw tone.

Some of the uniqueness of this early Omni-A is as follows:

30M and 24M band included

Analog dial string needs replacing (may not be in there, I haven't taken the front off)

a counter output has been added to the rear and radio comes with a Ramsey model CT-125 1GHZ standard frequency counter (and ps) to provide the last 4 significant digits for digital readout.

includes 500 hz xtal cw filter

has built in audio filter as well

has the later factory add on notch and selectivity switches and overlay

the 9 smaller ten tec knobs have been replaced with matching aftermarket replacement knobs

One extra hole in side of bottom cabinet and 2 extra holes underneath the bottom cabinet to facilitate adjustments

an internal fan has been added (presumably for digital/rtty use)

asking \$235 + shipping for this 160-10 meter, 100 w , all solid state , super qsk radio

trades considered on a smaller rig like a ts-50, ic-735, ts-140s..etc

please email for more info if interested. will be out of town until sunday...

Thanks

Tim

NZ8J

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 16:15:01 -0400
From: Bill Coleman <aa4lr@arrl.net>
To: <ARDUJENSKI@aol.com>,
"Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [107014] Re: Article on ladder line losses
Message-ID: <1010814161503.QAA25189@gate.iterated.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="US-ASCII"

On 9/12/01 9:43 PM, ARDUJENSKI@aol.com at ARDUJENSKI@aol.com wrote:

>Article on ladderline losses
>
>http://www.vaxxine.com/phil/ladder_line.pdf

Very interesting. Although the balun he used in his test I would consider inadequate.

Nevertheless, it points out why you should keep your open wire feedline dry!

Bill Coleman, AA4LR, PP-ASEL Mail: aa4lr@arrl.net
Quote: "Not within a thousand years will man ever fly!"
 -- Wilbur Wright, 1901

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 03:43:05 -0700
From: tcltd@widomaker.com
To: rod@n0rc.com
Cc: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-1@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [107015] Re: Celebrations in Arabic S. Paterson, NJ
Message-ID: <3BA1DF39.4FF1@widomaker.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I seem to recall Mr Ali being pretty much a draft dodger in his pre-Muslim life...

Jim

Rod Cercone, NØRC wrote:

>
> No Doubt there are many fine Muslims, Mohammed Ali comes to mind. I had
> the pleasure to meet the man, and his family a number of years ago.
>
> But, in my mind, those who celebrate the attack are no better than
> those who committed the act. Yes it's a free country and they have the
> right to do so, as I and others have the right to express our disgust
> about their behavior. Let's be careful where, how and to whom we focus
> our anger.
>
> 73, Rod NØRC
> Ft Collins, CO
>
> ----- Original Message -----
> From: "Brad Hernlem" <alihernlem@hotmail.com>
> To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
> Sent: Thursday, September 13, 2001 5:30 AM
> Subject: Re: Celebrations in Arabic S. Paterson, NJ
>
> > You may find the following instructive:
> >
> > <http://www.cair-net.org/>
> >
> > http://iic.org/press_release/pr_terror.html
> >
> > The people that committed these attacks represent hate and nothing
> and
> > no one else.
> >
> > Brad
> >
> > From: John Harper AE5X (ae5x@qsl.net)
> >
> > > Last night while a lot of us were glued to the TV set watching,
> > among other
> > > footage, the celebrations in Palestinian West Jerusalem, the
> > celebrations
> > > were being mimicked right here in the USA. South Paterson &
> > Elizebeth, NJ
> > > have large Arabic populations, some of whom gathered in the streets
> > to
> > > celebrate yesterday's disaster.

> >
> > >Disgusting human garbage, aren't they.
> >
> > >John Harper AE5X
> > >Outdoor QRP & Lowband DXing: <http://www.qsl.net/ae5x>
> >
> >
> > -----
> > Get your FREE download of MSN Explorer at
> <http://explorer.msn.com/intl.asp>
> >

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 12:21:54 -0800
From: Jim Larsen AL7FS <AL7FS@pobox.alaska.net>
To: "qrp-1@lehigh.edu" <qrp-1@lehigh.edu>
Subject: [107016] Alaska QRP Member numbers are now caught up.
Message-ID: <3BA266E2.6BC57A92@pobox.alaska.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Please, excuse this general post. I have caught up on AK QRP numbers and a couple of the email addresses were out of date. It has been a long time since the updates were done but I am getting closer to figuring this all out. I still haven't figured out how to change the html on the members page but will work on it. I can't figure out what the black splotch characters are.

Here are the bounced emails. I hope you get these. QRZ.com was checked.

		AK QRP #
KM6CO	GARY	524
W5LCL	David	535

Thanks.

73, Jim

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Jim Larsen, AL7FS, Anchorage, Alaska
(BP51cc) - 61.101 North, 149.824 West
<mailto:al7fs@arrl.net> - <http://www.qsl.net/al7fs/>

Date: Thu, 13 Sep 2001 16:09:49 -0400

From: Ronald Hands <ronald.hands@sympatico.ca>
To: brian@iquest.net
Cc: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-l@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [107017] Re: This, from a Canadian newspaper, is worth sharing.
Message-ID: <3BA1128D.60705@sympatico.ca>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii; format=flowed
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Brian wrote:

> Wasn't this from like 1975?

Yes. Gordon Sinclair has been dead for many years. I believe the piece was written at the time of the Vietnam War.

-- Ron VE3SP

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 17:30:27 EDT
From: K4NK@aol.com
To: qrp-l@lehigh.edu
Subject: [107018] Manuals needed
Message-ID: <d8.bf469cf.28d3d0f3@aol.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="US-ASCII"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Hello Folks;

I am looking for two manuals. First a manual for a ICOM IC-820h dual band multimode rig. Will pay a fair price for original or copy. Next need a old one..For a KLM 2 meter antenna. Model 144-148-16 , it is a 1979 vintage 16 element on a 20 foot boom yagi. Has multible driven elements. Have a new one in box but no instructions. KLM no help. Will pay a fair price for docs. Thanks.

Les K4NK

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 15:33:50 -0600 (MDT)
From: "Paul Harden, NA5N" <na5n@rt66.com>
To: qrp-canada@neale.gpfn.sk.ca, qrp-l@lehigh.edu
Subject: [107019] Re: W9GFZ Special Event (fwd)
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.4.10.10109141531520.28878-1000000@shell.rt66.com>

MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: TEXT/PLAIN; charset=US-ASCII

Gang,
I have received email from a number of list subscribers regarding the NRAO special event W9GFZ station this weekend, although I am personally not involved with it. I am forwarding the following short announcement that was released today for those so interested.

72, Paul NA5N
National Radio Astronomy Observatory
Socorro, New Mexico

----- Forwarded message -----
Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 07:17:20 -0600 (MDT)
From: Dave Finley <dfinley@aoc.nrao.edu>
Subject: W9GFZ Special Event

Because of the tragic events of this week, the W9GFZ
Special Event operation from NRAO Green Bank, WV is cancelled.

We will plan on rescheduling the event at a later time.

Dave, N1IRZ

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 17:54:18 -0400
From: "Richard Brummer, K2JQ" <k2jq@bestweb.net>
To: <tccltd@widomaker.com>,
"Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [107020] Re: Celebrations in Arabic S. Paterson, NJ
Message-ID: <004301c13d67\$ce120da0\$30685ed1@obvious>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

One thing about America is that it seems to forgive over a period of time.

Nixon.....Ali.....

I don't think that Mr. Bin - Laden can expect the same.

Dick K2JQ

-----Original Message-----

From: tcltd@widomaker.com <tcltd@widomaker.com>

To: Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>

Date: Friday, September 14, 2001 4:22 PM

Subject: Re: Celebrations in Arabic S. Paterson, NJ

>I seem to recall Mr Ali being pretty much a draft dodger in his
>pre-Muslim life...

>

>Jim

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 17:24:17 +0000

From: "Steven Weber" <kd1jv@moose.ncia.net>

To: qrp-1@lehigh.edu

Subject: [107021] QRP-TTF

Message-ID: <200109142154.f8ELsUc07545@wolf.ncia.net>

MIME-Version: 1.0

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Well, looks like I'm about ready for going to the field tomorrow.
Just finished testing an 88 ft doublet, feed with 75 ohm ladder line
with a simple ballanced line tuner I cobbled up this morning. SWR
meter says I can get 1:1 on 40 and 20, so, I guess it must be
working, hi. BTW, how come I couldn't find a schematic for the NorCal
BLT tuner on the web last night? Had to figure out one on my own....

Went to Wal-Mart and got a cheap, \$5.00 spinner, mounted it to my
sling shot with an aluminum bracket. Works great, now I can launch a
line way over the top of trees:-)

I hope a lot of you are going out to the field tomorrow, or at least
get on and work some of us. I know I need a break from watching the
current events and an over night camping trip is just what we need
about now! But burr, it's getting nippy up here. Gonna be a FYBO
event after the sun goes down!

72,

Steve, KD1JV in the White Mountains of New Hampshire

"Melt Solder"

<http://www.qsl.net/kd1jv/index.html>

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 17:56:12 -0400
From: "NZ8J" <timcook@erinet.com>
To: <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [107022] WTB: FL-63A 250 HZ CW fFilter
Message-ID: <008601c13d68\$12221080\$6122fea9@nec>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I discovered that the PBT tuning is almost as good as a 500hz filter in my IC-735, so I would like to change my search to a FL-63A 250 hz 9mhz IF filter.

thanks
Tim
NZ8J

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 15:59:05 -0600
From: "Rod Cerkoney, N0RC" <rod@n0rc.com>
To: "Low Power Amateur Radio Discussion" <qrp-1@Lehigh.EDU>
Subject: [107023] Fw: GEL Cells
Message-ID: <01b901c13d68\$79788840\$6401a8c0@c919125b>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
 charset="iso-8859-1"
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See below for updates, and another item:

Radio Shack 12Vdc, 3A linear power supply, Model 22-504 \$30

Less than one year old, works FB. Details at:

<http://www.radioshack.com/product.asp?catalog%5Fname=CTLG&category%5Fname=CTLG%5F008%5F001%5F000%5F000&product%5Fid=22%2D504>

73, Rod N0RC
Ft Collins, CO

----- Original Message -----
From: "Rod Cerkoney, N0RC" <rod@n0rc.com>

To: <ncarc@qth.net>
Sent: Friday, September 14, 2001 12:39 PM
Subject: FS: GEL Cells

> QTY 2 Xtreme Plus 6V 4.5 Amp Hr. 9mo old, well maintained. \$10 each
> (\$14.99 list at Batteries Plus). Hook them in series for 12Vdc,
4.5Ahr
> or parallel for 6Vdc, 9Ahr
>

BUY BOTH FOR \$15

> QTY 1 BB 12Vdc, 33Ahr (from Batteries Plus), 18mos. old, well
> maintained. \$50.
>

SOLD!

Date: Fri, 14 Sep 2001 17:31:18 -0500
From: Karl Heimbach <kheimbach@ev1.net>
To: boatanchors@listserv.tempe.gov, BOATANCHORS@listserv.tempe.gov,
boatanchors@qth.net, forsale-swap@qth.net,
Subject: [107024] Items for sale
Message-ID: <5.1.0.14.2.20010914172539.00a6f088@pop3.norton.antivirus>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"; format=flowed

Gang,

Have assorted stuff for sale at <http://users2.ev1.net/~kheimbach/>

Partial listing:

QRP Tube Cake Pan Transmitter & Regen Receiver
Swan SWR meter
WWII BC-375 tuning units
RTTY test oscillator (Serial Number 1) - Snark ABM system

Some of the pictures are high resolution, so may take a while to load.

Thanks,

Karl - W5QJ

End of QRP-L Digest 2312
